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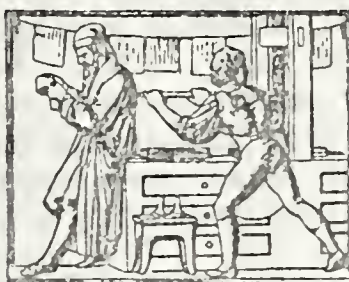
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The Foreman Genealogy

- Preface -

This is a genealogical record compiled by the author in order to preserve the information which has been gathered concerning the descendants of Jacob Foreman. These Foremans, according to family tradition, came from Virginia to South Carolina prior to the year of 1757.

Family, church and county records, both wills and administrations of estates, and deeds, local histories and other publications on Foreman families, have been examined and used where they pertained to this Jacob Foreman and his descendants. Cemeteries have also been visited and tombstone inscriptions copied, and many hours have been consumed in correspondence. Photostatic copies of land grants and other pertinent legal documents have been obtained.

The writer is indebted to Mrs. Aurora C. Shaw, Genealogist, and Editor of The Southern Genealogist's Exchange Quarterly, of Jacksonville, Florida, for contributions of data and for the editing and mimeographing of this manuscript. I am sure that without her valuable service this record would not have been as authoritative and complete.

Though no record of the birth or marriage of Jacob Foreman has been found, his will which was made the 10th day of October 1823 and probated the 21st day of November of 1823, reveals his wife's name to have been Rachel and that he had at least the following children: Isaac, Jacob, Glover and Nancy who married James Heard.

- by James Aldrich Foreman
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THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

Coat Of Arms

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Arms of different families named Forman (Foreman) given in Sir Bernard Burke's General Armory of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales (London, Harrison, 1878) page 367, as follows:

FORMAN (Luthrie, Co. Fife, Lyon King at Arms, 1555).

Quarterly, 1st and 4th, sa. three camels' heads erased or, each with bell ar. attached to collar gu. about her neck for Forman; 2nd and 3rd, az. a chev. betw. three salmon haurient ar. for Fisher.

Forman or Foreman (London and Co. Leicester: Lord Mayor of London, 1538). Barry wavy of six ar. and az. on a chev. sa. three martlets or, on a chief gules a lion passant betw. two anchors gold. Crest--a demi dragon ramp. vert.

Forman or Freman. Az. three bars nebulee ar. on a chev. sa. as many martlets or, a chief gules charged with a lion pass. guard. between two anchors gold.

Forman (Co. Lincoln) same arms.

Forman or Forness (Co. Norfolk). Sa. five fusils in fesse ar.

Forman (Co. Northumberland). Sa. five fusils in fesse ar.

Forman. Az. three bears' heads' erased ar. collared gules each charged with four bells or.

Various members of the Forman family in America, in particular General Thomas Marsh Forman of Cecil Co., Md., and General Jonathan Forman of Cazenovia, New York, have used the arms ascribed by Sir Bernard Burke to Foreman-Farmin family of Lincolnshire. In addition they have used a lion's (or Leopard's) head as a crest, and the motto "Deo et Amicitiae."

The above coat-of arms is the one adapted by the descendants of Jacob Foreman, Sr.

Foreman Characteristics: It is recorded in ancient books that there are three things, especially noted in the family of Formans; that there was never one of them proud, covetous, or a traitor; and that may be well seen to this date in the present generations.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

Introduction

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Examination of a number of genealogies on the Forman and Foreman families has been made by the writer. My observation is that by far the most thorough research has been made by Mr. Henry Chandlee Forman, P.H.D., and Mr. Elbert Eli Farmin, L.L.D., of New York City, to whom credit is due for some of the early Foreman data presented herein.

"The Formans of New York 1645-1945", by Henry Chandlee Forman, (Decatur, Georgia, 1945), is the history of the Forman family beginning with Robert Forman who received a patent in 1645, Flushing, New York. His wife was Joanna and his sons: Aaron Forman Sr. whose wife was Dorothy; Moses Forman whose wife was Hannah Crocker; second wife, Anna Bennett; and Samuel Forman, Sr. whose wife was Meryam Hoyt. The author points out that erroneously this Robert's line had been established as Robert, son of Rev. William, son of Robert, the son of William Forman, Lincolnshire merchant, the son of Sir William Forman, Lord Mayor of London. However, since Sir William left a daughter Elizabeth, and apparently left no male heirs unless he had sons who died before he did, the author states, "we have been unable to trace the line of descent from Sir William Forman to Robert Forman." To quote from his Chapter I, "The Formans of England":

"For more than six hundred years, from earliest records of the family in Lincolnshire, England, to the present day, the spelling of the name Forman has been unchanged. In 1316 land in Lincolnshire was granted to one Ralph Forman; in 1373 Thomas Forman, and in 1375 Robertus Forman, a juror, were inhabitants of this county. In the Lincolnshire Rebellion of 1536 Robert Forman gave five marks to the rebels. All through the fifteenth, sixteenth, and seventeenth centuries there were Formans living in England, chiefly in Lincolnshire, according to the records.

"The most distinguished member of the family seems to have been Sir William Forman Knight, Lord Mayor of London, a native of Gainsborough, Lincolnshire. He was the son of William Forman, a yeoman of Gainsborough. His sister, Elizabeth Forman, married Morice Morgan.

"Sir William Forman was knighted on October 18, 1537, and was an Alderman in Parliament from Cripplegate Ward in the City of London from 1529 to 1545. He was High Sheriff of London in 1533 and Lord Mayor from 1538 to 1539. During a Muster of Citizens in 1539 he rode in a procession and carried a coat of black velvet embroidered with a cross; on his head was a black velvet cap with a rich jewel; and about him rode four footmen apparelled in satin hose and fine white silk."

Of particular interest to this writer is the following observation also quoted from Mr. Henry Chandlee Forman's book, page 6: "The fact that Robert Forman who came to New York named his sons for Biblical characters complicates our search in England, where the Formans had the ordinary names of William, Thomas, John, Edward, Robert and the like. It would appear that the very burning of Robert's religious zeal thus cut the threads of his old life beyond the sea."

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

Introduction (continued)

- by James Aldrich Foreman

So also did our Foreman forebears of South Carolina use the biblical names as will be seen in the genealogy which follows. Jacob, Isaac, Barney (for Barnabas originally), and James are the names we find duplicated in both the Forman and Foreman families.

Pronunciation and spelling of the name: Mr. Henry Chandlee Forman states that, "In the Oyster Bay (New York) records the name is spelled frequently Furman or Firman, showing that this was the way it was pronounced. Even as late as 1800, Jemime Forman of Yorktown, Westchester County, wrote: 'this Holy Bible belongeth to Jemime Furman'." Elsewhere in the United States, the name is usually pronounced as spelled.

Elbert Eli Farmin graduated at Amherst in 1855 with the degree of M.A. He became a student of law at Warsaw, New York, and while still a student took an active part in the Fremont campaign of 1856. After his admission to the bar, he was for some years one of the owners and the business manager of the Western New Yorker of Warsaw, which developed into the leading Republican Journal of that part of the State. In 1865, Mr. Farmin went to Europe and spent two years in the study of criminal, international and civil law at Heidelberg and Berlin, in learning the French and German languages. On his return to the United States he was appointed by the Governor as District Attorney of Wyoming County, an office he held with much credit for seven years. In 1876, Mr. Farmin was appointed Counselor General of Cairo, Egypt by President Grant. During the five years Mr. Farmin was Counselor General, he performed the duties of the office in the most painstaking and efficient manner. He also took an interest in the people of Egypt, and through his efforts fifteen slaves received their freedom. During the visit of General Grant to Egypt, Mr. Farmin presented the General to the Kedive and otherwise took a very prominent part in his reception. The oberlist in Central Park in New York City was obtained through the exertions of Mr. Farmin, and the "Farmin Collections" of Egyptian antiquities in the Metropolitan Museum were collected and classified by him. He was appointed on July 1, 1881, Judge of International Court of Egypt, by President Garfield. He filled the office with credit to himself and the United States until his resignation in 1884. On leaving Egypt he received the order of the Medjidieh. In 1882, Amherst College bestowed upon him the L.L.D. degree.

Elbert Eli Farmin traces his line to one John Foreman, (as his name was spelled), who volunteered for the French Army at the age of sixteen. After serving eight years, he with two companions settled in New Hampshire. Soon afterward, he married and settled in Bath on the Connecticut River. During his residence in Bath, the spelling of the family name was changed from Foreman to Farman, to which all but one branch of his descendants have adhered.

Roswell Farman, son of John Foreman, had a son named Zadok who married Martha Dix of Weathersfield, Connecticut. They had six children, the fifth being Elbert Eli Farmin, born at New Haven, Oswego County, New York, April 23, 1831.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James A. Foreman



STAGECOACH INN OPERATED BY GEORGE FOREMAN NEAR JACKSON
(Owner of Inn which housed Washington was murdered by Tories)

- by James Aldrich Foreman

The Stagecoach Inn - George Foreman

This home is said to have been first the residence of George Foreman, early settler of South Carolina who was granted land in the amount of 450 acres recorded in the Pre-Revolution Plats as follows:

"South Carolina

Pursuant to a Warrant Directed to me by Egerton Leigh Esq. Surveyor General Dated the Second day of August 1752 I have admesured unto George Foreman a Tract of four hundred and fifthly acres of Land in Granvil County Bounding South West on Savannah River N:East part on Andrew Brumlew & part on Regina Stoosira part on John Dolker of the other part on Vcant Land & hath Such form & marcks as the above Plat Represents.

Certyfield this 23d of August 1757

Ulrich Tobler Dep: Sur."

Deceased by 1786, the story is told that George Foreman was murdered by the Tories and his wife, the former Anna Bush, daughter of Isaac, and their son Benjamin, managed the home as The Stagecoach Inn as it was then on the direct route from Charles Town to Augusta, but now on the old Augusta to Ellenton Road taken over by the Atomic Energy Commission in building the Savannah River Plant. Now as a historical landmark, it may be visited by obtaining a special pass. Of historical interest is the story that George Washington passing through this area, spent the night at the old Stagecoach Inn. Descendants of George Foreman are evidently responsible for the family record given as follows:

Thomas Foreman was born in London (merchant) in 1633. He married Frances Burges of Hadley, England, Frances, relect of Dolman, daughter of Burges of Hadley England. Just one son is known, Thomas, Jr., born in London, who married Margaret Gunter born in London, the daughter of Philley Gunter. To them were born George and William in London, who came to America. George married Anna Bush of South Carolina, the daughter of Isaac Bush. George served in the Revolutionary War.

Georgo's son Benjamin F. Foreman was born about 1760; died 1850, aged 90. He married Jane Newman in Jan. 1, 1797, who was born 1768 and died 1843. Their children: Caroline who married Samuel Burges Bush Aug. 12, 1835; Jane Foreman who married Thomas Bush; David Foreman who married Mary A. Stallings June 28, 1849; Lottie Foreman who married Griffin Owens July 14, 1825; Isaac who died Oct. 25, 1819; Benjamin who died Oct. 25, 1819; George Ann Foreman Born Nov. 9, 1812, died June 19, 1822; also Sarah, John, George and Nancy.

David Foreman above married Mary A. Stallings born 1829, died Feb. 19, 1875, on June 28, 1849. He is buried at the homoplace near Ellenton and she is buried City Cemetery, Augusta, Ga. Their children: Anna; Alice Gertrude b. Feb. 1852, d. Apr. 15, 1900, md. J. Cuthbert Shecut; twins Ida and Iris b. Oct. 14, 1862, Ida Md. Abner Clinton Brown Dec. 29, 1880 and died Apr. 10, 1900; Iris md. David Westbrooks; Twins James who died young and Benjamin F. who died Aug. 1904, Md. to Mamie Butler.

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State of South Carolina)
Barnwell District)

In the name of God amin I Jacob Foreman of the State and District afore Said, being Sick and Weak in Body, but of sound memory reson and understanding, and disposing Mind, but desirous to make a distribution of my Estate, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament,--

First I give divide and bequeath to my Beloved Wife Rachel Foreman, the following Negroes Slaves to wit, Jako, Rose; Mariah, Emd, Dick, Amy, little Hannah, Robin, Sophy, little Bill, Smith, French Bill, big Hannah, together with the House hold and Kitchen Furniture, All the above named Negroes to be hired out yearly except Field Rose and One Horse to Remain with my wife. Also my beloved Wife and my two grand children, Polley and Evuline Foreman, to be supported and Schooled out of my present crop the ensuing year, after, that to be supported and Schooled out of my Estate, during my wifes natural life, Allso I give to my Son Jacob Foreman the use of the Land he has formerly had during his Mothers natural life, Also I give to my Son Glover Foreman the use of the Abraham Turner Tract of land during his Mothers life, the balance of my lands to be rented out yearly, except Houses and Garden for the use of my Wife and two grand Daughters Polly and Evuline---

Item - I give and divide and bequoath after the death of my wife unto my Son Jacob Foreman, One proportionable part of my Estate, Real and personal, --

Item - I give divide and bequeath to my Daughter Nancy Heard Ten Dollars,

Item - I give divide and bequeath after the death of my wife, One proportionable part of my estate real and personal to the children of my daughter Nancy Heard.

Item - I give divide and bequeath after the death of my wife One proportionable part of my Estate Real and Personal unto my Son Glover Foreman, --

Item - I give divide and bequeath the Rest and Remainder of my Property if any Such there be at the time of my wifes demise (always excepting the before bequeaths) to be Equally divided between my above named Leggatees Share and Share alike---dated the tenth day of October 1823.

Executed in the Prisenice of us each of whom Saw the Testator and the other witnesses hereunto Sign there names Respectivly -----

Andrew McElmurray

david martin

George Turner

his
(s) Jacob X Foreman (LS)
mark

I hereby appoint James McElmurray Senior and my Son Jacob Foreman to be the Executors of this my last will and Testament and I hereby Revoke all other wills and Testaments, publishing and confirming this to be my last Will and Testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal, this Tenth day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty three---signed sealed and published by the testator as his last will and Testament in our presenice who in his presenice and the presenice of each other have subscribed the same as witnesses ...(listed again).

Recorded in Will Book B, p. 190; Recorded Nov. 21, 1823
Bundle 42, Pkg. 2, Barnwell, S.C.

Orsamus D. Allon, O.B.D.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Jacob Foreman, I - And Other Early South Carolina Foremans

Jacob Foreman whose will is recorded in Will Book B, Page 190, in Barnwell County, South Carolina, and which was recorded November twenty-first, eighteen hundred and twenty-three, is the Jacob who is known as Jacob the First in this genealogy of his descendants.

The use of the designation, First, Second, etc., has been discouraged by genealogical sources since one seldom has the family traced to the beginning of the earth to know who was the first of the line to bear a given name. We acknowledge that this is truly not the first Jacob Foreman, but he is the first who has been established and identified as the ancestor of those whose genealogy is contained herein.

Records show that one Jacob Foreman served in the Revolutionary War from Orangeburg, South Carolina, Certificate #2489, from Apr. 1782 to Aug. 1782. On the 16th of January 1788, his widow who was then the wife of William Williams, living in Edgefield County, S.C., entered petition as such, establishing that this Jacob Foreman was deceased at that time. His identity has not been further established.

Some of the descendants of our Jacob Foreman have said they knew there was a kinship between Benjamin Foreman and ourselves, but we do not know the relationship as yet. Benjamin is of the George Foreman line given herein on Page 7.

Arthur Foreman, another who was early in Barnwell County, received his grant of land in 1784 (Grant Book FFFF, page 97) and was deceased by 7th November 1806, left a wife, Susannah and daughters, Priscilla Foreman who married Thomas Nugent, and Rebecca Foreman who married Alexander Nugent.

William Foreman, who served as a Private under Capt. Fred Wommack, S.C. Militia, may have been the brother to George Foreman who served also, as did Arthur and one Isaac Foreman. It has been desired to further identify these men, but this has not as yet been accomplished in connection with this genealogy.

Court of Equity Records for Barnwell County: Examination of these records have revealed genealogical information due to the partition of estates which came before the courts and which has served to tie into the family these children of Jacob Foreman, I.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Isaac Foreman

Born about 1780
Deceased by 1814

Deceased before his father, Jacob Foreman I, we learn of this son through the Court of Equity records of Barnwell County, South Carolina. As early as 1814 the estate of Isaac Foreman was being administered by his brother Jacob Foreman, Jr. These records continuing into 1833 and 1834, reveal that by 1832 the widow of Jacob, Nancy, had since married William Newman, that their daughter Evaline Foreman was the wife of James J. Stallings, and the daughter Mary had since died intestate and unmarried. The case was brought to court by James J. Stallings and his wife, versus Jacob Foreman, brother to Isaac, the deceased, with Glover Foreman, another brother, acting as witness. So we have this scant family record as follows:

Isaac Foreman, Born about 1780, locality unknown;
Died about 1814, Barnwell County, S.C.

Married: Nancy -----, who married secondly,
William Newman, the son of William and
Mary Newman.

CHILDREN: 1. Mary (called Polley) Foreman, died between
1814-1826, unmarried.
2. Evaline Foreman, born 1813, md. James J. Stallings
who evidently died prior to 1850.
(See Will of Jacob Foreman I, 1823, for mention
of these two children, his grandchildren)

GRANDCHILDREN of Isaac Foreman:

1. Winifred Stallings	Born 1832
2. Jane Stallings	Born 1834
3. Everett Stallings	Born 1837
4. Josephine Stallings	Born 1840
5. James Stallings	Born 1842
6. Isaac Stallings	Born 1845

The names of the above children were obtained from the 1850 U.S. Census taken the 4th day of September, with Evalina Stallings as the head of the household, and the years of birth of her and the children determined from the ages given in this census. They were enumerated as Family #1063.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Jacob Foreman, II, son of Jacob Foreman I and Rachel Foreman.

Born 26 Feb. 1784, of Barnwell Co., S.C.; Died 4 May 1857

Married 6 May 1808 to

Ferrubia Stallings, Born 1782; died 28 Sept. 1862

CHILDREN:

1. Jesse G. Foreman Born 9 Sept. 1810; Died 27 Sept. 1878 - Bachelor
2. John Foreman Born 1812; Died 14 Feb. 1887
Married Harriet Hightower
3. Isaac Foreman Born 29 Sept. 1814; Died 1890
Married Jane Rountree
4. Jacob Foreman, III Born 1819; Died 1906 - Bachelor
5. Frances Foreman Born 1821; Died 1875
6. William O. Foreman Born 10 July 1826; Died 10 Feb. 1889
Married Frances Lanham
7. Barney Foreman, Sr. Born 22 Nov. 1828; Died 18 July 1892
Married (1) 1828 to Elizabeth Caroline -----.
Married (2) Jane Elizabeth Williams

This was a respectable and thrifty family, who judging from bequests made in their wills, believed in handing down virtue and wealth from generation to generation. It has been revealed that this family was always more concerned over each other's welfare than their own pursuits.

Jacob Foreman, the Second, was known much of his life as Jacob Foreman, Sr. His will recorded in 1860 in Barnwell, South Carolina, (included herein), reveals that he devised to each of his six sons a home and plantation, with sufficient slaves to till the soil.

Buried in the Foreman Cemetery in an unusual manner, at one time his remains could be viewed by those who visited the cemetery. However, his son finding the vault left open upon a visit to same, had it sealed and closed to human eyes.

Jacob's wife was also buried in the Foreman Cemetery.

Jacob was baptized at Matlock Baptist Church in Jackson, South Carolina in 1837. (Note: Jackson is the present name of the town which was formerly known as Silverton).

This is the last will and testament of me Jacob Foreman of Barnwell District, South Carolina Planter. I give, devise and bequeath all my estate, real and personal, which I have not heretofore loaned or may hereafter lend to my children, unto my wife Ferebe Foreman for and during her life. Upon the death of my wife, I give devise and bequeath all my estate real and personal unto my children to be divided between them, each to take possess and enjoy an equal part or share for and during his or her life. My daughters taking possessing and enjoying their respective parts or shares to and for their own sole, separate and exclusive use and benefit. In the division of my estate among my children as above directed, my will is, that they severally bring into the estate, or otherwise account for all such lands and slaves as I have heretofore loaned or may hereafter lend to them respectively; the value however of such improvements as they may place on, or impart to the lands so loaned or lent, is not to be taken into the division or in any way accounted for. My will and intention is that the valuation hereby directed shall have reference to the real value of the property at the time of my death, exclusive of improvements on real estate and of slaves dying, but inclusive of slaves born in my life time. Upon the death of my children or either of them, I give devise and bequeath his or her part or share of my estate real and personal, unto his or her issue who may be living at the time of his or her death and who may live to be married or to attain the age of twenty one years; but should either of my children die leaving no issue living at the time of his or her death, or if such issue should not live to be married or to attain the age of twenty one years, I then give, devise and bequeath his or her part or share of my estate real and personal unto my own surviving issue, distribution thereof to be made as in cases of intestacy, and to have possess and enjoy the same for the same estates, and upon the same terms and conditions as are herein before declared in relation to the parts or shares which my children will be entitled to in the original division of my estate: And I appoint my sons Jesse, John, Isaac and Jacob executors of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said Jacob Foreman have hereunto set my hand this twenty third day of April in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred forty six.

Jacob Foreman

Signed by the above Jacob Foreman)
as and for his last will and testament,)
in the presence of us present at the)
same time, who in his presence and)
in the presence of each other have)
hereunto subscribed our names as)
attesting witnesses thereto)

Test. J. J. Meyer

James P. Hankinson

D. U. Meyer

(copy)

ATTEST: A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY

(signed) Marie J. Black

Barnwell County, S.C.

(SEAL) Judge of Probato
Barnwell County, S.C.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

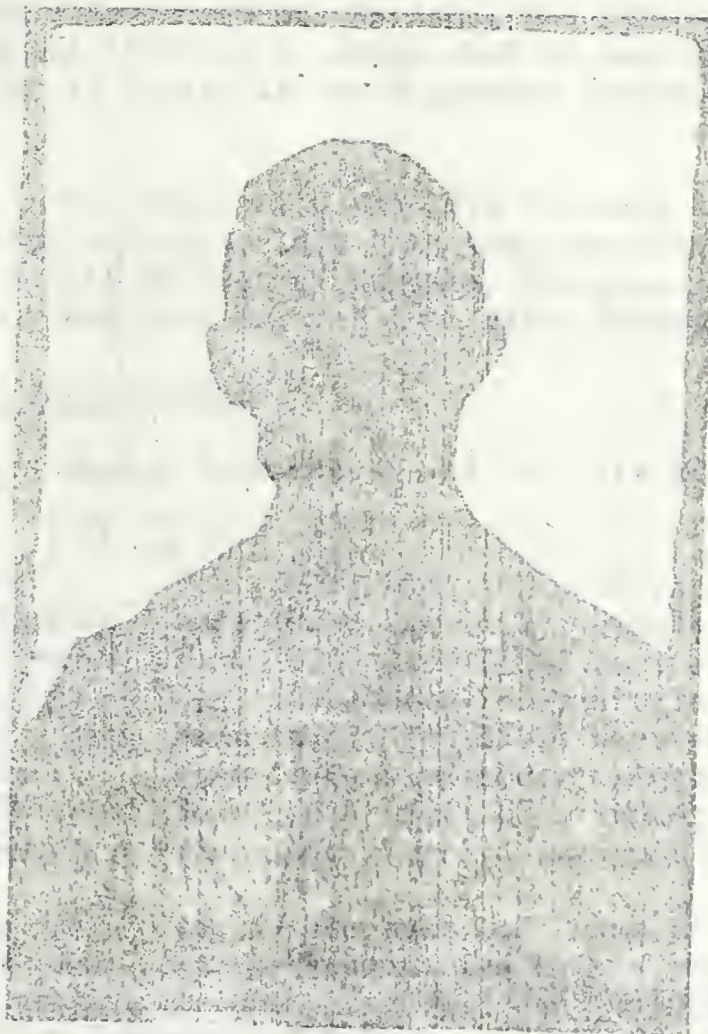
Jesse G. Foreman - Son of Jacob Foreman, II and Ferrubia Stallings

Born 9 Sept. 1810 - Died 27 Sept. 1878

Jesse G. Foreman, the eldest son, remained a bachelor through his life. His home stood near the old Laura Foreman Dicks' home. It was demolished by "the big storm" which swept the entire state of South Carolina in 1893.

The Savannah River Plants Administration Office now stands on the land which Jessie owned during his lifetime. At his death in 1878, his estate was divided among his five brothers. His brother, John, administered the estate in 1879 in Aiken County, South Carolina.

Jessie is buried in the Foreman Cemetery.



John Foreman

The attempt to reproduce this picture of John Foreman failed and virtually all detail of the snapshot was lost. However, the print from which this was made is available and from this a good portrait could be made from an artist or photographer skilled in this work. Wearing a coat and vest, John in this picture appears to have a curly beard, curly sideburns, and a widow's peak on his forehead.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

JOHN FOREMAN, son of Jacob Foreman, II and Ferrubia Stallings
Born 1812 in Barnwell County, South Carolina; Died 14 Feb. 1887;
Married Harriett Hightower, born 1813, in South Carolina

CHILDREN:

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| 1. Sally A. Foreman | Born 1836; Died ----; Married ----- |
| 2. Jesse J. Foreman | Born 1837; Died 1901; Married Martha Robeson |
| 3. Frances H. Foreman | Born 1839; Died 1869; Married John S. Greene |
| 4. Jacob Foreman | Born 1840; Died 1862; Single |
| 5. Mary Foreman | Born 1843; Died 1904; Married Rev. C. F. Baynard |
| 6. Isaac W. Foreman | Born 1844; Died 1887; Married Lucy Bowers |
| 7. Annie Foreman | Born 1848; Died 1909; Married W. S. Tyler |
| 8. Lucy Foreman | Born ----; Died ----; Married A. M. Harley, Sr. |

John Foreman, the second of six sons, was familiarly known as "Jackie" Foreman. During his lifetime he owned what is now the Baker, Hightower and Beggs Farms. John is buried in the Hightower Cemetery in Jackson, South Carolina.

Enumerated in the 1850, 1860 and 1870 Barnwell County, South Carolina, U.S. Census, which showed in 1870 that they resided in Silvertown Township No. 20, and their Post Office was Augusta, Georgia. By 1880, that portion of Barnwell County had been created into Aiken County, its present name.

GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN:

Jesse J. Foreman, son of John above, and his wife Martha Robeson, had the following issue:

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| 1. Oscar Foreman | Born 1866; Died 1934; Married Madeline Meyer |
| 2. Maggie May Foreman | Born 1869; Died 1917; Single |
| 3. Annie Atha Foreman | Born 1870; Died 1895; Married J. D. Swennie |
| 4. Harriett E. Foreman | Born 1874; Died 1887; Single |
| 5. Jessie Ione Foreman | Born 1878; Died 1889; Married A. K. Chislom |
| 6. John R. Foreman | Born 1880; Died 1881; infant |
| 7. William Ray Foreman | Born 1884; Died 1884; infant |
| 8. Simkins Foreman | Born 1886; Married Gertrude Baker |

In August of 1863, Jesse J. Foreman left home to offer his services to the Confederate States. He was accompanied by his younger brother, Jacob IV, and his father's younger brother, Barney. They enlisted as Privates in the First South Carolina Regiment of Calvary at Hamburg, S.C., August 27, 1862.

John gave his sons four horses and one of his trusted slaves, Alex Williams whom he had purchased as a small boy. Jacob IV was killed in Maryland in 1863. When Jesse and his Uncle Barney learned of Jacob's death, they sent Alex to look for his body. He was gone several days and Jesse and Barney decided that Alex had joined up with the "Yankees". But faithful old Alex returned and assured them that he had found the body of his young master and had stayed to bury it.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

JOHN FOREMAN (Continued):

Jesse Foreman (son of John), was wounded June 9, 1863, at Brandy Station, Virginia. He had two horses killed under him during engagements with the enemy. His grandson, Richard J., has a portion of one of the balls which killed one of his horses.

On April 24, 1864, Jesse's youngest brother, Isaac, joined his Company at Columbia, South Carolina. They all surrendered at Raleigh, North Carolina, in April 1865. They rode horseback home accompanied by their faithful slave, Alex, who was now free.

In 1877, General Wade Hampton was inaugurated Governor of the State of South Carolina and on April 10, 1877, Federal troops were removed from the State. A Volunteer Company of Calvary was organized in Jackson to preserve order, which was known as "Silverton Calvary". On June 9, 1877, Governor Hampton commissioned my maternal grandfather, James M. Cobb, Captain of the Company and Jesse Foreman, First Lieutenant.

Jesse took a very active part in the building of Wesley Chapel Methodist Church in Brown Hill, South Carolina. In commemoration of his service he was awarded a section in the Wesley Chapel Cemetery where he is buried.

Some years after Alex Williams received his freedom, he bought a portion of the land which the elder Jesse Foreman devised to his brothers at his death. Old Alex spent the remainder of his life there engaged in farming. At his death he devised the land to his children who owned it when it was acquired by the Atomic Energy Commission in building the Savannah River Plant.

GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN:

Oscar Foreman, son of Jesse J. Foreman and grandson of John Foreman, and his wife Madeline Meyer, had the following children:

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| 1. Roberson Foreman | Born 1894; | Single. |
| 2. Mattie Lou Foreman | Born 1896; | Married Herman Johnson |
| 3. Frances Hann Foreman | Born 1898; | Married Hugh L. Rhodes |

Simkins Foreman, son of Jesse J. Foreman and grandson of John Foreman, and his wife, Gertrude Baker whom he married in 1917, had the following children:

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| 1. Richard J. Foreman | Born 1918; | Married Claudine Bentley |
| 2. Elizabeth Foreman | Born 1919; | Married Dr. Jack Sims |
| 3. Clinton S. Foreman | Born 1921 | Married Fay Swann |

GREAT-GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN:

Richard J. Foreman, son of Simkins, grandson of Jesse J., and great grandson of John Foreman, and his wife Claudine Bontley, issue:

1. Claudine Gertie Foreman Born 1940
2. Richard J. Foreman, Jr. Born 1944

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich
- by James Aldrich Foreman

JOHN FOREMAN (continued)

Elizabeth Foreman, daughter of Simkins, granddaughter of Jesse J., and great granddaughter of John Foreman, and her husband, Dr. Jack Sims, issue:

1. Betty Nelle Sims Born 1947
2. Ronald Foreman Sims Born 1952

Clinton S. Foreman, son of Simkins, grandson of Jesse J., and great grandson of John Foreman, and his wife Fay Swann, issue:

1. Clinton S. Foreman, Jr. Born 1951

GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN:

Frances H. Foreman, daughter of John Foreman, married John S. Green, their son:

Dr. Isaac Green

Isaac W. Foreman Born 1847; Died 20 Feb. 1887, a son of John Foreman, and wife Lucy Bowers, had the following children:

1. Samuel Edward Foreman Born 1879; Married Hattie Keller
2. John Foreman, II, Born 1884; Married Mary Wood

Isaac W. Foreman died at Augusta, Richmond Co., Ga. His widow and children left the area of Jackson, S.C. . Isaac was familiarly known as "Ike". He enlisted as a Private, K Company, First South Carolina Regiment, of Calvary, April 25, 1864, at Columbia, South Carolina. Surrendered at Raleigh, North Carolina in April 1865. A horse ran away with Ike between the house and Begg's pond. He died in the Augusta hospital some time following the accident. His father died on the 19th of February 1887 and Ike died on the 20th of February 1887. As they were taking John's body out of the house to go to the cemetery, they brought Ike's body in at the same time. Ike's heirs sold their property to Mr. Richard Baker and none of them have lived in Jackson, S.C., since that time.

GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN OF JOHN FOREMAN:

Samuel Edward Foreman , Born 1879, son of Isaac W. Foreman above, and wife Hattie Keller, had the following children:

1. Grace Foreman Born 1908; Married John E. Turner
2. Edward L. Foreman Born 1910; Married Marietta West
3. Clara Foreman Born 1912; Married Tillman M. Franklin
4. Loree Foreman Born 1914; Married Rufus Youngblood

Sam Edward Foreman resides in Clearwater, South Carolina.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

JOHN FOREMAN (continued)

John Foreman, II, son of Isaac W. Foreman, Born 1884, lives 2418 Sunset Ave., Gastonia, N.C., married Mary Wood, and their children include:

1. Charles L. Foreman Born 1910
2. John Foreman, III Born 1914; Died 1947

John Foreman, II married in 1932, Daisy McCoy.

GREAT-GREAT GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN:

Charles L. Foreman, Born 1910, son of John Foreman II, and his wife Sallie Windman, issue:

1. Charles E. Foreman Born 1935
2. Jimmie L. Foreman Born 1938

John Foreman, III, Born 1914; Married 1932 and died 1947, a son of John II, had the following son by his wife, Ollie Windman.

1. John L. Foreman Born 1935

GRANDCHILDREN of JOHN FOREMAN

1. Lucy Foreman, daughter of John Foreman and Harriet Hightower, married A.. M. Harley, Sr. Their children:

1. John L. Harley
2. A. M. Harley, Jr. Married Steiner Foreman
3. Lawrence A. Earley

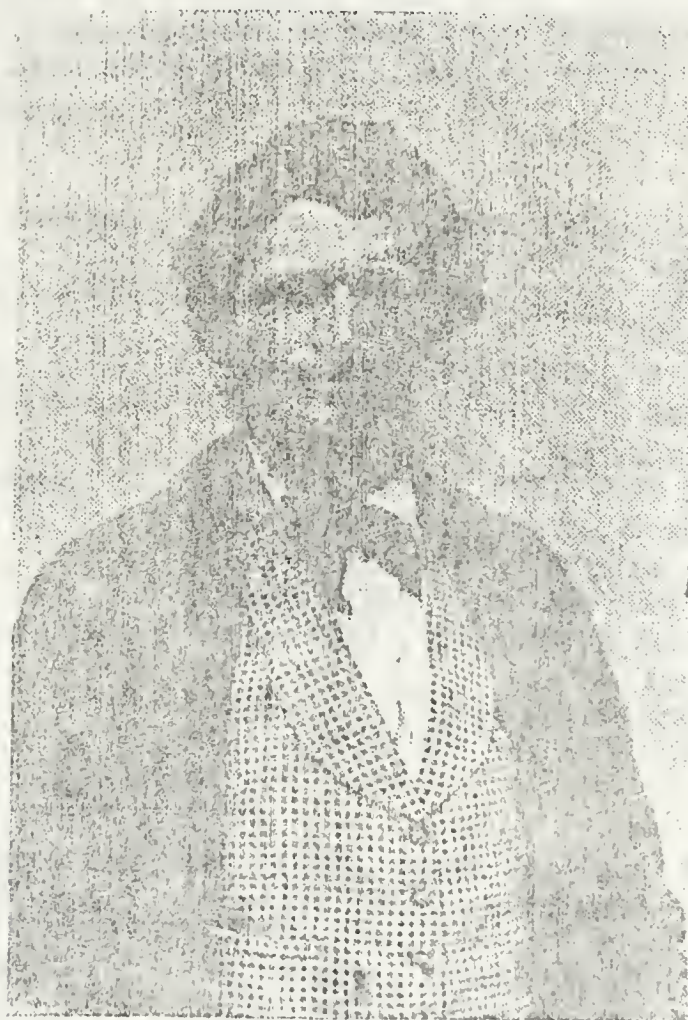
A. M. Harley, Jr. Married Steiner Foreman and their children are given on Page 32.

Sarah Annie Foreman, daughter of John Foreman, Born 1848; Died 1909; and Married Wingfield Scott Tyler, Sr. (Note: Page 20 of this family record shows that John Foreman's first child was Sally A., Born 1836, which information was picked up from the Census. Since the family do not know of any such daughter, apparently Sarah Annie is the Sally A. but the difference in birth dates cannot be accounted for at this time). Issue:

1. Jesse LaVance Tyler B. 17 May 1874; D. 9 May 1920; Jennie Irene Anderson
2. Stella Annie Tyler B. 17 Dec. 1876; M. 11 Apr. 1900 Edward Walker Crawford
3. Etta Hortense Tyler B. 18 Nov. 1877?; D. June 1908; M. Richard Henry Baker
4. Lucy Eugenia Tyler B. 17 Apr. (1879?); D. 3 Sept. 1902;
Married 9 Apr. 1899, Josiah Foreman
5. Harriet B. (Hallie) B. 26 May (1881?); M. William Howard Briggs, deceased
6. Rosa Maria Tyler B. 5 July 1883
7. Kate Cleo Tyler B. 11 May 1886; M. Paul Glover (dec.); Glen Hailey
8. Wingfield Scott Tyler, Jr. B. 25 Dec. 1888; D. 1918; M. Wynoma Woodward

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James A. Foreman



DR. ISAAC FOREMAN

Dr. Isaac Foreman, the third of six sons, was an able physician and successful farmer in Jackson, South Carolina, during his lifetime. He had practiced medicine in Jackson twenty-one years when the Civil War began. He graduated at the University of South Carolina in 1836, (the 35th class), receiving an A.B. degree. He received his M.A. degree in 1838 from the University of Pennsylvania. His thesis was Cholera Morbus. During the later years of his life, he removed to old Ellenton, South Carolina, where he died. Sometime before his death he requested that his remains be buried in a shady grove, which stood near his old Jackson home and office. After the death of his widow, Jane in 1917, his son Barney had his remains removed to the Old Dunbar Cemetery in old Ellenton, and placed by his mother's grave. During the acquisition of lands for the Savannah River Plant, their remains were removed to North Augusta Cemetery.

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman

Dr. Isaac Foreman, son of Jacob Foreman and Ferrubia Stallings -

Born 1814, 29th day of September; Died 1890, Ellenton, S.C.

Married Jane Rountree, who appears to have been daughter of William and Jane Rountree; Born 1834; Died 1917, she is buried at the Augusta, Georgia, Cemetery.

CHILDREN:

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| 1. Frances Hariett Foreman | Born 1854; Died 1934; Married 1882,
Major Madison P. Howell |
| 2. Mamie E. Foreman | Born 1856; Died 1936; Married
Edgar A. Merriman |
| 3. Jacob V. Foreman | Born 1859; Died 1884; Single |
| 4. Carrie Jane Foreman | Born 1861; Died 1940; Married 21 Nov. 1885
Captain William Elmore Ashley |
| 5. Barney Moore Foreman | Born 19 Oct. 1863; Died 1941; Married
30 Jan. 1892, Isabel Mary Martin |
| 6. Annie Foreman | Born 1876; Single |
| 7. Maude Foreman | Born 1878; Married: H.A. Stembridge |
| 8. Isaac Edward Foreman | Born 1880; Died 1954; Married
Annie Brailsford |
| 9. Florence Foreman | Born ----; Died ----- Married William Bush |

GRANDCHILDREN of Dr. ISAAC FOREMAN:

Frances Hariett Foreman, daughter of Dr. Isaac Foreman, Born 1854, Died 1934; Married 1882, Major Madison P. Howell; Their children:

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| 1. Shepperd Barnes Howell | Born 1883; Died 1883; infant. |
| 2. Madison P. Howell | Born 1884; Died ---- |
| 3. Carrie Ethrel Howell | Born 1885; Died 1905; child |
| 4. Leonidas Asher Howell | Born 1888; Died ---- |
| 5. Edith Brower Howell | Born 1890; Died 1890; infant |
| 6. Barney Kilgo Howell | Born 1892; Died 1892; infant |
| 7. Sarah Catherine Howell | Born 1893 |
| 8. Isaac Randolph Howell | Born 1895; Died 1949 |
| 9. Amy Howell | Born 1900; Died 1900; infant |
| 10. Thomas M. Howell | Born 1901; Died 1949 |

Mamie Foreman, daughter of Isaac Foreman, Born 1856; Died 1936;

Married Edgar A. Merriman; their children:

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| 1. Augustus S. Merriman | Born 1886; Attorney, living Sumter, S.C. |
| 2. Sterling B. Merriman | Born 1891; Died 1956 |
| 3. Ashley E. Merriman | Born 1892; Died 1916 |

Jacob V. Foreman, the third child and eldest son of Dr. Isaac Foreman died a single man. He was engaged to be married, the wedding had been announced and all plans completed, when he was stricken ill and died.

Carrie Jane Foreman, daughter of Dr. Isaac Foreman, of Ellenton, S. C.

Married Captain Elmo Ashley (born William Elmore Ashley), on 21 Nov. 1885; He was Born 5 Nov. 1846; Died 19 Oct. 1888; the son of Joseph Ashley and Mary Rountree; Carrie Jane was Born 21 Jan. 1861; Died 5 Dec. 1940. Issue:

Dr. Isaac Foreman (continued)

1. Joseph Ashley Married Mabel Hamacker
2. William Elmore Ashley, Jr. Married Ethel Dunbar; died 1946

Annie Foreman, daughter of Dr. Isaac Foreman, remained single. She resides with her sister, Maude Stenbridge, in Waynesville, Georgia.

Barney Moore Foreman, son of Dr. Isaac Foreman, Born 19 Oct. 1863, died 1941; Married Isabel Mary Martin, 30 Jan. 1892; she was the daughter of John Young Martin and Rebecca Warren Lewis. Children:

1. Arthur Ashley Foreman, Sr. Born 1894; Married 1921 Mamie Cassels

Barney M. Foreman graduated from Mercer University with an A.B. degree in 1888. He is listed in 1889 as a Baptist minister in Orangeburg, S.C. His wife was known as Belle Martin of Caroline County, Virginia, and she severed in missionary work for a number of years before her marriage. She was quite helpful to Barney during his ministerial duties.

Foreman Memorial Baptist Church in New Ellenton, S.C., was dedicated in 1953, in memory of Barney and Belle Foreman and the splendid Christian work they performed during their lifetime.

GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN of Dr. ISAAC FOREMAN:

Arthur Ashley Foreman, Sr., son of Barney Moore Foreman and grandson of Dr. Isaac Foreman, was born in the year 1894 and married 1921 to Mamie Cassels. Their children were:

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| 1. Arthur A. Foreman, Jr. | Born 1922 | Married Dorothy Harris |
| 2. Ellen Foreman | Born 1924 | Married Boyd Blake |
| 3. Fielding Foreman | Born 1928 | Married Betty George |

Arthur Ashley Foreman received his A.B. degree in 1916 from Furman University. Arthur finished second in his class and won the oratorical medal. After completing his education Arthur taught school for two years, but left the classroom to become engaged in farming. He retired in 1950 to private life. He was then one of Aiken County's largest and most successful farmers and dairymen. He resides on Brandy Road, Aiken, S. C.

GRANDCHILDREN OF Dr. ISAAC FOREMAN:

Isaac Edward Foreman, son of Dr. Isaac Foreman, Born 1880, Died 1954, Married 1911, Annie Brailsford. Children:

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| 1. Annie Camellia Foreman | Born 1915 | Married James Oliver Smith Sr. |
| 2. Serena Elizabeth Foreman | Born 1919 | Married Van Edward Baugh, Sr. |

Isaac Edward was familiarly known as Ed Foreman. He owned a Fertilizer And Feed Store in Orangeburg, S.C., but retired to private life sometime before his death.

Dr. Isaac Foreman (continued)

GREATGRANDCHILDREN of Dr. ISAAC FOREMAN:

Annie Camelia Foreman, daughter of Isaac Edward Foreman, Born 1915 and
 Married 1936 James Oliver Smith, Sr. Children:

1. James Oliver Smith, Jr. Born 1937
2. Anetta Foreman Smith Born 1941

Serena Elizabeth Foreman, daughter of Isaac Edward Foreman, Born 1919
 Married Van Edward Baugh, Sr. in 1943. Children:

1. Serena Anne Baugh Born 1943
2. Van Edward Baugh, Jr. Born 1955

Jacob Foreman, III: Born 1819, Barnwell County, South Carolina
Died 1906, Aiken County, South Carolina

The fourth of six sons born to Jacob Foreman, II, and Ferrubia Stallings Foreman, Jacob, III, was familiarly known as "Colonel" Foreman.

"Colonel" was tall, slim and dark, with a long, white beard. He wrapped his head in a red bandana when the weather was cold, and he walked with a corn stalk. He was quite a character as I remember him.

"Colonel" visited Augusta, Georgia, one very cold day without wearing an overcoat - he never dressed in fine clothes and he always appeared dowdy - and there two young men who saw him so dressed felt moved to pity and being charitable of heart, they handed him some money, exclaiming, "Uncle, go and buy yourself an overcoat." The "Colonel" stood silently looking at the young men for a brief moment, then said, "you keep the money. I can buy and sell you a hundred times".

Though a bachelor unto his death, he inhabited a two-story frame house which overlooked a portion of his Horse Pen plantation. There Old "Aunt" Nancy, a former slave, cooked and looked after his welfare. I recall visiting him one day when "Aunt" Nancy was serving his dinner, with several of her little Negro grandchildren gathered around the table to do him service. One little Negro picked up a potato and exclaimed, "I'se a gonna peal Marse Jake's ta-tor," while another exclaimed, "I'se a gonna peal Marse Jake's egg". The old man impatiently exclaimed, "Geminy darn it, get away! You little black devils".

"Colonel" Foreman lived to be eighty-seven years old. Buried in the Foreman Cemetery, in a metallic casket, he rests beside his youngest brother, Barney Foreman.

Will And Testament of Jacob Foreman, III
(1819 - 1906)

State of South Carolina)
County of Aiken)

Last will and Testament of Jacob Foreman

In the name of God, Amen ...

I, Jacob Foreman of the above named State and County, being of sound mind, memory and understanding, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament, to wit:

(Item)

1. I direct that all my debts should be paid as soon after my decease as shall be convenient.

2. I devise my real estate to my Nephews, who are sons of my (deceased) brothers in the following manner, to wit:

To Jesse J. Foreman, son of John Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 1 of my Horse Pen Plantation, containing 140 acres, as shown by a Plat of said Horse Pen Plantation, made by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor and dated August 8, 1892. This bequest being for the benefit and under the control of the said Jesse J. Foreman his life and without power to convey same, at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Isaac W. Foreman, son of John Foreman (deceased) I bequeath Tract No. 2 of my Horse Pen Plantation, containing 150 acres, as shown by the said Plat of Horse Pen Plantation, made by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor. This bequest being for the benefit and under the control of the said Isaac W. Foreman his life and without power to convey same, and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Thomas L. Foreman, son of William O. Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 3 of said Horse Pen Plantation, containing 160 acres, on which the Grist Mill is situated as will be shown by reference to the above Plat by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor. This bequest being for the benefit and under control of the said Thomas L. Foreman, his life and without power to convey same, and at his death, to his children, share and share alike.

To Willie Foreman, son of William O. Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 4 of said Horse Pen Plantation, containing 165 acres, as shown by the above Plat. This bequest being for the benefit and under control of the said Willie Foreman, his life and without power to convey same, and at his death to his children, share and share alike. Also a Tract known as the Hazel Tract, containing 70 acres, more or less, adjoining the estate of William O. Foreman (deceased). The above bequests being for the benefit and under the control of the said Willie Foreman, his life and without power to convey same and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

Will And Testament of Jacob Foreman, III (continued)

Item 2. To Ed Foreman, son of Isaac Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 1 of my Home Plantation, containing 160 acres, on which my dwelling (contd) is situated. This bequest to be for the benefit and under the control of the said Ed Foreman, his life and without power to convey same, and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Barney M. Foreman, son of Isaac Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 1 of my Graveyard Plantation, containing 125 acres, as shown by a Plat of said Graveyard Plantation and made by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor and dated August 8, 1892. This bequest being for the benefit and under the control of the said Barney M. Foreman, his life and without power to convey same and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Thomas J. Foreman, son of Barney Foreman (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 2 of my Graveyard Plantation, containing 275 acres, as shown by the above mentioned Plat by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor. This bequest being for the benefit and under control of the said Thomas J. Foreman, his life and without power to convey same and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Barney Foreman, Jr., son of Barney Foreman, Sr. (deceased), I bequeath Tract No. 3 of said Graveyard Plantation, consisting of 265 acres, as shown by the said Plat of my Graveyard Plantation, this bequest being for the benefit and under the control of the said Barney Foreman, Jr., his life, without power to convey same and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To Josiah Foreman, son of Barney Foreman, Sr. (deceased), I bequeath a Tract of land known as the Tim Branch Tract, containing 220 acres, as shown by a Plat of said Tim Branch place made by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor and dated August 10, 1892. This bequest being for the benefit of the said Josiah Foreman his life, without power to convey same and at his death to his children, share and share alike.

To James B. Foreman, son of Barney Foreman, Sr. (deceased), I bequeath a Tract of land known as the Steven Moyer place situated on Hollow Creek, containing 120 acres, as shown by a Plat of said Steven Moyer place made by J. E. Chrosland, Surveyor, and dated August 11, 1892. This bequest being for the benefit and under the control of the said James B. Foreman his life, without power to convey and at his death, to his children, share and share alike.

3. To Amelia Hankinson, Virginia Bates and Cathryn Bates, daughters of my (deceased) sister Frances Foreman Bates, I bequeath the dividends accumulating from 26 share (\$100) each, Augusta Factory stock, Augusta, Ga. I now hold in the Georgia Railroad Bank in Augusta, Ga. If any of my nieces whom I have above named die without leaving an (issue), their portion of said stock are to go to the ones I desire and name after them: To the children of Lucy Harley, Frances Green, daughters of John Foreman (deceased). Florence Bush, daughter of Dr. Isaac Foreman (deceased). John L. Harley, A. M. Harley, Jr., Harry Harley and Lawrence A. Harley and Florence Bush: All these to share and share alike.

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Item

4. All other stock whether it be Railroad, Factory, or Bank stock I may own at my death and the dividends occurring shall be held by my executor and the dividends occurring thereof shall be paid my nieces who are daughters of my deceased brothers, Mary Baynard, Annie Tyler, daughters of John Foreman, (deceased). Mitt Merriman, Frances Howell, Carrie Ashley and Annie Foreman, daughters of Dr. Isaac Foreman (deceased). Vert Wilson, Amelia Bates and Steiner Harley, daughters of William O. Foreman (Deceased). Mary Barnes and Laura Dicks, daughters of Barney Foreman, Sr. (deceased).

5. In all the bequest of my real estate which I have made to my nephews above named I desire and direct that they shall have all the rights and privileges to same and all the rights it requires to trespass to and from said lands by any and all roads now passing through said lands.

6. Who ever above mentioned who tries to break my last Will and Testament are to be entirely disinherited.

7. I hereby appoint my nephews Barney M. Foreman and James B. Foreman Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal, this 13th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety two signed sealed in the presence of:

J. E. Chrosland
John Ready
J. D. Stallings

(S) Jacob Foreman (LS)

Will recorded September 13, 1892

Aiken County Courthouse

Office of Probate Judge

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- by James Aldrich Foreman

Frances Foreman, daughter of Jacob Foreman, II, and Ferrubia Stallings
Born 1821; Died 1875; Married

Joseph Bates, - Born 1822

CHILDREN:

1. Amelia Bates Born 1846; Died 1924; Married R. S. Hankinson (no issue)
2. Cathryn Bates Born 1848; Died 1896; Single
3. Virginia Bates Born 1855; Died 1895; Single

Amelia Bates Hankinson who died without issue, devised most of her estate to the children of Joseph Foreman. Her will was probated in 1924, Aiken, South Carolina.

William O. Foreman, son of Jacob Foreman, II, and Ferrubia Stallings
Born 10 July 1826; Died 10 Feb. 1889; Buried Foreman Cem.
Married Frances E. Lanham, Born 1840.

CHILDREN:

1. Emma Lavert Foreman Born 1859; Died 1932; Married C. R. Wilson
2. Willie Foreman Born 1862; Died ; (single)
(Willie Foreman died in Los Angeles, California, Rose Hill Cemetery)
3. Amelia Ann Foreman Born 1868; Died 1951; Married John R. Bates, Sr.
4. Thomas Luna Foreman Born 1870; Died 1954; Married Lucy Tyler
5. Steiner Foreman Born 1880; Died 1946; Married A. M. Harley, Jr.

William, the fifth of six sons, was familiarly known as Buster Foreman. He inherited Stagecoach Inn at his father's death in 1857. William appointed Emma L. Wilcox administrator of his estate.

GRANDCHILDREN of WILLIAM O. FOREMAN

Amelia Ann Foreman, daughter of William O. Foreman, Born 1868; Died 1926; Buried Bates Cemetery with her husband, John R. Bates, Sr., Born 1867; Died 1951. This cemetery is out of Jackson, South Carolina. Children:

1. John R. Bates, Jr.

Thomas Luna Foreman, son of William O. Foreman, Born 1870; Died 1954; Married Lucy Tyler; their only issue:

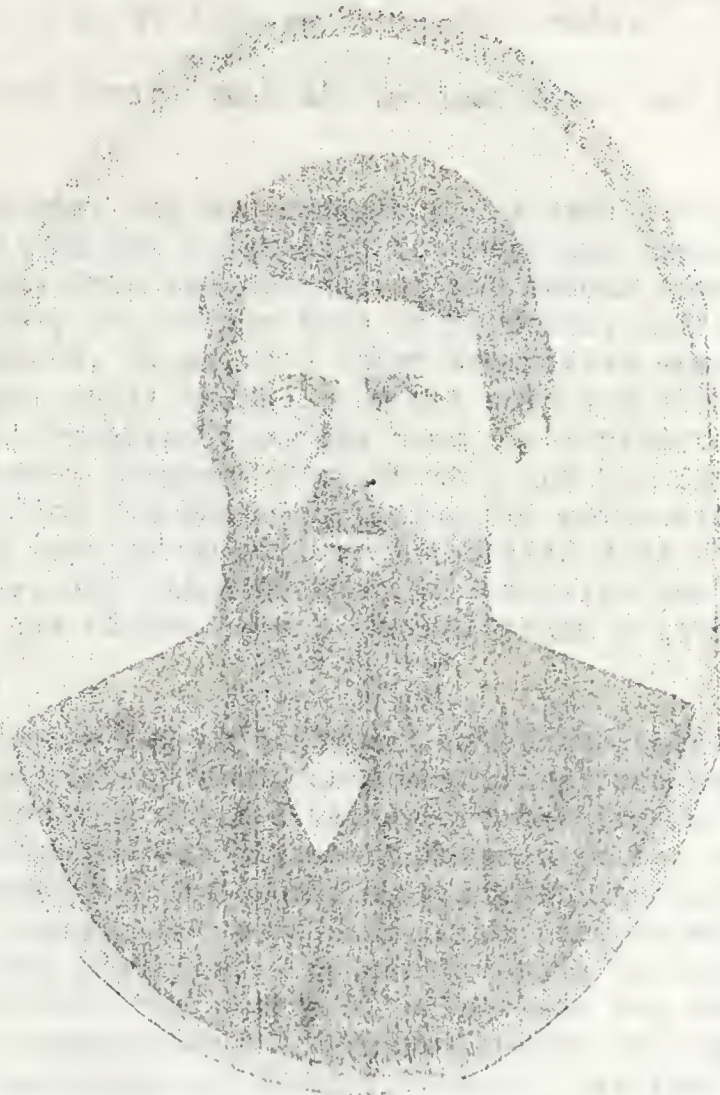
1. Elmo Foreman

Steiner Foreman, daughter of William O. Foreman, Born 1880; Died 1946, Jackson, S.C., buried Foreman Cemetery, resided at Stagecoach Inn with her husband, A. M. Harley, Jr., son of A. M. Harley, Sr. and Lucy Foreman who was the daughter of John Foreman. Children of this couple:

1. Theresa Harley Born 1899; Married Roy H. Ryan
2. William Harley Born 1902; Died 1936; single
3. Frances L. Harley Born 1905; Married Robert E. Smith
4. Amelia L. Harley Born 1908; Married D. E. Chesser
5. Helen Harley Born 1911; Died 1911; infant
6. Hazel Harley Born 1911; unmarried

THE FOREMAN GENEALOGY

- by James Aldrich Foreman



Barney Foreman, Sr.

State of South Carolina
County of Aiken

In the name of God. Amen:

I Barney Foreman of the County of Aiken and State of South Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and memory and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs while I have strength so to do, do make publish and declare this my last will and Testament hereby revoking any and all wills, by me at anytime heretofore made.

Item 1st. I will and devise that all my just debts and funeral Expenses be paid.

Item 2nd. I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Jane Elizabeth Foreman, any and all of the dividends, interest and income which may arise during her life time, from and all of the stocks bonds and other securities which I may own at the time of my death, and I will and direct that any and all stocks, bonds, and other securities which I may own at the time of my death, shall be held and not sold and when any of them shall mature the amount so realized from the same, from time to time, shall be reinvested for the best interest of my estate, and the dividends, interest and income arising from the whole including the reinvestment so to be made, shall be paid over to my said wife the said Jane Elizabeth Foreman during her life time, and which if she shall receive the same, shall be instead of and in law of her dower, and all other rights and interest in my estate.

Item 3rd. I will devise and bequeath all my estate both real and personal (except the dividend interest and income arising from any and all stocks, bonds and other securities which I may own at the time of my death, which I will to my beloved wife Jane Elizabeth Foreman in the second item of this my last will and Testament) unto my children, to be divided between them each to take, possess and enjoy an equal part or share for and during his or her life in the division of my estate among my children as above directed my will is that they severally bring into the estate or may here after lend to them respectively, The value however of each buildings as they may place on the lands so loaned or which I may lend is not to be taken into the division, My will and intention is that the valuation here directed, shall have reference alone to the real value of the land at the time of my death exclusive of the buildings which may be erected by them upon the death of my children or any of them, before or after my death I give divide and bequeath his or her part or share of my estate both real or personal unto his or her children who may be living at the time of his or her death and who may live to be married or attain the age of twenty-one years. But should any of my children die leaving no issue living at the time of his or her death, or if such issue should not live to be married or to attain the age of Twenty-one years, I then give divide and bequeath his or her part or share of my estate both real and personal unto my own surviving issue distribution thereof to be made as in cases of intestacy and to have possess and enjoy the same for the same estates and upon the same terms and conditions as are heirs before declared in relation to the parts or shares which my children will be entitled to in the original division of my estate.

Will of Barney Foreman, Sr. (continued)

Item 4th. I will and direct that at my death my real estate shall be divided in kind allotting to the children the respective tracts of land which may be loaned to them respectively--The Commissions to be appointed to make the division to be careful to preserve equality of distribution and to have authority to reduce number of acres of land to be allotted to any child, so as to preserve equality rather than to assess a sum of money to be paid to preserve equality.

Item 5th. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint James B. Foreman and Barney Foreman, Junior my son as Executors of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I the said Barney Foreman to this my will consisting of the foregoing form sheets of paper have set my hand and seal this the Seventeenth day of April A.D. 1891.

Barney Foreman L.S.

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Barney Foreman, as his last will and Testament in presence of us who at his request in his presence of each of other have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto:

F. M. Green
C. C. Meyer
J. R. Bates

Will of Barney Foreman was Admitted to Probate the 5th of Sept. 1892-- and on the same day James B. Foreman and Barney Foreman Junior qualified as Executors thereof.--

(Certified as a true and correct copy 29th August 1958 by E. Glenn Willis, Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Court of Probate, A.C., Aiken County (seal). (Note: Despite this certification, there seems to be several errors in the typing of the will from the original.)

(Word of Explanation: This will had been sought previously by the author without success; however, after the rest of this genealogy had been printed ready for the binding, this will was received. JAF)

- by James Aldrich Foreman

BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr., son of Jacob Foreman and Ferrubia Stallings;

Born 22 November 1828, Barnwell County, (now Aiken County) South Carolina.

Died 18 July 1892; Buried Foreman Cemetery, Jackson, South Carolina.

First Wife: Elizabeth Carolina -----

Born 16 Feb. 1839

Died 7 Feb. 1858; Buried Foreman Cemetery, Jackson, South Carolina.

CHILDREN:

1. infant son Foreman Born Feb. 1858; Died Feb. 1858; infant
(Buried in the front yard of his father's first home as he died prior to the mother, Elizabeth Carolina, who soon followed him in death).

Barney Foreman, Sr., grandfather to the author, was the youngest of seven children. He inherited the homestead "Statehouse" at his father's death in 1857. In this home, Barney, his brothers and sister had been born and it is a birthplace worthy of a poet's description. The two-story frame dwelling stands in a lonely part of the country overlooking the rolling estate which was once owned by Jacob Foreman, Jr., and his descendants. The house has been a home through five wars. It has stood through countless storms, through summer heat and winter winds. It yet stands, serene and unshaken, as a monument to the Foreman ancestors who dwelled there in an era of long ago.

It was in the year of 1858 that Barney married Elizabeth Carolina, a lovely 17-year old girl whom he took to Statehouse as its mistress. However, Elizabeth died following the death of their first-born child, a son. This baby was not buried beside its mother because her death was not anticipated when he was buried, and so his tiny grave rests in the front yard at Statehouse which was to have been his home, while his mother Elizabeth is buried in the Foreman Cemetery. Husband Barney had these words cut into the tombstone:

"Sacred to the Memory of Elizabeth Carolina Foreman, Wife of
Barney Foreman, who departed this life in the 18th year of her age"

And so the tombstone still stands today, chipped down by summer rains and winter winds, an end to the beautiful romance which ended ninety-years ago.

On August 27, 1862, Barney turned over his plantation to the care of his brothers. He enlisted as a Private in Company K, First South Carolina Regiment of Calvary, at Hamburg, South Carolina, and was transferred to the Second Regiment, October 31, 1864. He participated in the surrender at Raleigh, North Carolina, April, 1865. Shortly after his departure in the Army, on September 1862, his mother, Ferrubia died, as he was serving with the Army in Northern Virginia. After her death during the distribution of the family possessions, brother Jacob, III, exclaimed: "I'm claiming the silver water dipper for Barney".

Barney returned home from the War in April of 1865 to find his fields bare and practically everything he had left behind had been devastated during his participation in the Confederate War. He freed his Negro slaves, working out an arrangement with them to share crop his plantation, thus he set to work to weave again the thread of his broken and disrupted life.

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BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr., son of Jacob Foreman and Ferrubia Stallings;

Born 22 November 1828, Barnwell County, (now Aiken County) South Carolina.

Died 18 July 1892; Buried Foreman Cemetery, Jackson, South Carolina.

Second Wife: Jane Elizabeth Williams, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Williams; Born 16 July 1845, Barnwell County, S.C.

Died 1 May 1916, Aiken County, S.C.

CHILDREN:

1. James B. Foreman Born 1867; Died 1930; Married (1) Cathryn Stallings
(2) Janie Shaw
2. Mary Foreman Born 1868; Died 1926; Married 1888 George T. Barnes
3. Barney Foreman, Jr. Born 1871; Died 1944; Married 30 Dec. 1896
Maggie Lou Cobb
4. Thomas Jacob Foreman Born 1872; Died 1954; Married (1) 1901, Sarah Toole
(2) 1941 Maggie Lou
5. Josiah Foreman Born 1874; Died 1950; Married 1899, Lucy Eugenia Tyler
(2) 1903, Sallie Meyer
6. Laura Elizabeth Foreman Born 1877; Died 1934; Married Edwin Pickens Dicks

Barney Foreman, Sr.'s second marriage occurred 24th day of January 1866, and brought forth the above six children, four sons and two daughters. Upon his marriage to her, he built another home, a six-room house which spared them both the memories housed at the old Statehouse, his former home.

On the south of this new home, he built a one-room frame schoolhouse for his children, securing the services of a competent schoolmaster to tutor them and also the children of his lifetime friend, Pascall Wilson, whose children included, Angus, Tom, Lula and Catoosa Wilson.

I recall having visited the old home and schoolhouse years later in company of my father, the late Barney Foreman, Jr. The old dwelling has been untenanted for sometime and stood lonely and forlorn. No doubt my father's memories swept back to the days of his boyhood as he showed me about the place that day, recalling events and pointing out to me the places of their occurrence.

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At a later date, this house and schoolhouse were demolished by Joseph Foreman to be replaced with a modern home in this once remote section of the country.

On the evening of the 18th of July 1892, Barney Foreman, Sr., suffered a fatal heart attack as he and his son, Barney, Jr., were looking over some timber. And so he passed away in his sixty-fourth year and was buried in the Foreman Cemetery. He died testate, his will being recorded in Aiken, South Carolina, 1892. To each of his children he left a home and plantation. And to his widow, Jane, he willed the interest occurring from his money in the Georgia Railroad Bank for use during her lifetime, which money was to be equally divided among their children at her death. Even to date the Bank will not disclose the amount of money which Barney, Sr. left at his death, and so far as is known his children never revealed the amounts they received as their shares. The Bank informs me that Jacob Foreman, brother to Barney, owned Georgia Railroad Stock and these papers may be examined.

The will of Barney, Sr., though referred to in the administration of his estate, was not found among the loose papers in the proper file in the Aiken Courthouse. A search for this will is yet being made.

BARNEY FOREMAN, SR. (continued)GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

James Buchanan Foreman, Sr., son of Barney Foreman, Sr., Born 1867; Died 1930; buried Foreman Cemetery. Married 1889, Catherine Stallings, Born 11 Mar. 1870 and died 2 Jan. 1937; buried Foreman Cemetery. Children:

1. James Buchanan Foreman, Jr., Born 1890; Died 1902, buried Foreman Cem.
2. Jane E. Foreman Born 1892; Married Harry E. Barnes
3. Pearl E. Foreman Born 1894; Died 1930; Single
4. Ernest C. Foreman Born 1895; Married Julia Miller.

James Buchanan Foreman, Sr., married secondly, in 1918, Janie Shaw; issue by her:

1. Fred Foreman Born 1919; Died 1921; infant
2. Herman F. Foreman Born 1922; Married Joan M. Palombo
3. Joseph Brinckman Foreman Born 1925; Single and resides Washington, D.C.
4. Ruth Z. Foreman Born 1928; Married Eddie C. Phillips

James Buchanan Foreman was known by his friends as Jimmie Foreman.

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr.

Herman F. Foreman, son of James B. Foreman and Janie Shaw, Born 1922, married Joan M. Palombo of Norwich, England, and they presently reside in Silver Springs, Maryland. Their children: Cathryn Jane b. 1949
James Patrick b. 1951

Ruth Z. Foreman, daughter of James B. Foreman and Janie Shaw, Born 1928; Married 1947 Eddie C. Phillips, Sr., and has these children:

1. Janie E. Phillips Born 1949
2. Eddie C. Phillips, Jr. Born 1951

Eddie C. Phillips, Sr., is a Master Sergeant stationed in Panama City Florida with the U.S. Army.

Joseph Brinckman Foreman resides in Washington, D.C., unmarried.

George T. Barnes married in 1888

Mary "Sissy" Foreman, daughter of Barney and Jane Elizabeth Foreman, Born 1869; Died 1926; Buried Magnolia Cemetery, Augusta, Ga. Their children:

GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

1. Frances E. Barnes Born 1889; Died 1903; child.
2. Amelia A. Barnes Born 1890; Married Earl Fuller
3. Harry E. Barnes Born 1891; Married Jane E. Foreman
4. Julian T. Barnes Born 1893; Married Emma Mims
5. Bessie Barnes Born 1895; Died: _____
6. Albert L. Barnes Born 1897; Married Mary Garwood
7. George A. Barnes Born 1899; Died 1946; Single

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BARNEY FOREMAN, SR. (continued)

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| 8. Irene A. Barnes | Born 1901; Died 1903; child |
| 9. John J. Barnes | Born 1905; Died 1918; child |
| 10. C. Richard Barnes | Born 1906; Married Meita Franklin |
| 11. Edward L. Barnes | Born 1907; Died 1929 |
| 12. Mary F. Barnes | Born 1912; Died 1918 |

Mary Foreman Barnes was familiarly known as "Sissy". She and her deceased children are buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Augusta, Georgia.

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

Amelia A. Barnes, daughter of Mary Foreman Barnes, Born 1890, Married Earl Fuller; Issue:

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| 1. Mary Frances Fuller | Born 1919; Married R. D. McGill |
| 2. Betty Fuller | Born 1923; Married Edward L. Trusdale |

Albert L. Barnes, son of Mary Foreman Barnes, Born 1897; Married 1920, Mary Garwood; their children:

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| 1. Albert L. Barnes, Jr. | Born 1921; Single |
| 2. George W. Barnes | Born 1923; Married Vivian S. Logue |
| 3. Mary F. Barnes | Born 1924; Married Gordin B. Williams, Sr. |
| 4. John A. Barnes | Born 1926; Married Sarah N. Nelson |
| 5. Lewis G. Barnes | Born 1927; Married Irene W. Irick |
| 6. Julian T. Barnes, II | Born 1934; Married Polly Jane Simpson |

GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

Barney Foreman, Jr., son of Barney Foreman, Sr.; Born 1870; Died 1944; Buried Wesley Chapel Cemetery, Brown Hill, S.C., together with his wife, Maggie Lou Cobb whom he married 30 Dec. 1896-8; she was the daughter of James M. Cobb. Children:

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| 1. James Aldrich Foreman | Born 23 July 1900; Married Ermine Merchant, the daughter of John Merchant and Bertha Shelie. (No issue). Residence, Jackson, South Carolina. |
| 2. Barney Bowers Foreman | Born 1901; Died 1902; infant |
| 3. unnamed son | died infancy |
| 4. unnamed son | died infancy |
| 5. unnamed son | died infancy |
| 6. Jessie Cobb Foreman | Born 1912; Married Doy L. Adams |

Thomas Jacob Foreman, son of Barney Foreman, Sr.; Born 1872; Married 1901 Sarah Toole; their issue:

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| 1. Rhett A. Foreman | Born 1901; Married Dr. Loyd Colson |
| 2. Sadie E. Foreman | Born 1904; Single |
| 3. Buris A. Foreman | Born 1908; Married J. L. Johnson, Sr. |
| 4. Salena O. Foreman | Born 1914; Died 1914; infant |
| 5. Thomas L. Foreman | Born 1918. Married 1945 Doris James
Married 1950 Helen Pascal |

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- by James Aldrich Foreman

BARNEY FOREMAN, SR. (continued)

Thomas Jacob Foreman married secondly, Maggie Lou Fickling Chapman. No children were born to this union. Thomas Jacob is buried in the Lakeland Cemetery in Lakeland, Florida.

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr.

Buris A. Foreman, daughter of Thomas Jacob Foreman, was Born 1908, Married J. Lewis Johnson, Sr. Issue:

1. J. Lewis Johnson, Jr. Born 1936; Married Mary Ann Helm.

Thomas L. Foreman, son of Thomas Jacob Foreman; Born 1918; Married 1945, Doris James; their child:

1. Sarah Ann Foreman Born 1948

Thomas L. Foreman married secondly, 1950, Helen Pascal; their child:

1. Peggie Jean Foreman Born 1953

GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

Josiah Foreman, known as "Joe", the son of Barney Foreman, Sr., was Born 1874; Married 1899, 1st wife, Lucy Eugina Tyler; their children:

1. Carmine Mildred Foreman Born 1900; Single
2. Eugene Foreman Born 1902; Died 1902; infant

Josiah Foreman married secondly, 1903, Sallie Meyer; their children

1. Edgar L. Foreman Born 1904; Married Daline Sullivan
2. Josiah M. Foreman Born 1906; Married Janie May Steed
3. Bessie Foreman Born 1908; Married James C. Green
4. Ruby Foreman Born 1911

Josiah and Sally Foreman are buried at Hatlock Baptist Church in Jackson.

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, SR.

Edgar L. Foreman, Sr., son of Josiah and Sallie Foreman, Born 1904; Married 1934, Daline Sullivan; their child:

1. Edgar L. Foreman, Jr. Born 1941

Josiah M. Foreman, son of Josiah and Sally Foreman, Born 1906; Married 1932 Janie May Steed; their children include:

1. Joy Foreman Born 1933; Married George Brown.
2. James J. Foreman Born 1936; Married Shirley L. Reeves

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BARNEY FOREMAN, SR. (continued)

Bessie Foreman, daughter of Josiah Foreman, Born 1908; Married 1931, James C. Greene, Sr. Their children:

1. James C. Greene, Jr. Born 1932; Married Betty Yeomans
2. Betty Fay Greene Born 1933; Married Willis Collins, Jr.

GRANDCHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr.

Laura Elizabeth Foreman, daughter of Barney Foreman, Sr., Born 1877; Died 1934; Married Edward Pickens Dicks, Sr. on 5 Dec. 1900. Their children were:

1. Edward Pickens Dicks, Jr. B. 10 Sept. 1901; md. 29 Dec. 1923
Tommie Ponder
2. Barney Angus Dicks B. 10 Oct. 1902; md. 13 Apr. 1941
Isabelle Plunkett
3. Thelma Leah Dicks B. 20 Dec. 1903; md. June 1925
Sterling J. Usher
4. James Monroe Dicks B. 27 Apr. 1907; md. Feb. 1930
Katherine Milton
5. Thomas Theodore Dicks B. 11 Sept. 1909; md. 3 Sept. 1933
Miriam Merry
6. Laura Elizabeth Dicks B. 5 Aug. 1913; md. W 20 Jan. 1938
William T. Carroll
7. Vera Leona Dicks B. 13 Nov. 1917; md. 20 July 1938
Joe C. Allen

GREAT GRAND CHILDREN of BARNEY FOREMAN, Sr.

Edward Pickens Dicks, Jr. and wife Tommie Ponder, have the following children:

1. Edward Pickens Dicks (who has one daughter Dee Anno Dicks)
2. Elizabeth Ann Dicks married Joe Mayo Hauer

Barney Angus Dicks and Isabelle Plunkett have the following child:

1. Laura Margaret Dicks Born 26 Apr. 1946

Thelma Leah Dicks and Sterling J. Usher have one daughter:

1. Elizabeth Ann Usher, born 25 Sept. 1928; married Ralph M. Laffitte.
Their issue: Ralph M., Jr. and Sterling Usher Laffitte

James Monroe Dicks and Katherine Milton have the following issue:

1. James Monroe Dicks, Jr. Born 20 July 1931; Married Frieda Bryant
2. Eugenia Dicks Born 14 Aug. 1938

Thomas T. Dicks and Miriam Merry have the following children:

1. Thomas T. Dicks Born 11 Nov. 1945
2. Roberta Anno Dicks Born 11 May 1942
3. Morry Dicks Born 17 Sept. 1949

BARNEY FOREMAN, SR. (continued)

Leona Dicks and Joe Clark Allen had the following children:

1. Joe Clark Allen, Jr. Born 25 Sept. 1942
2. Ed Dicks Allen Born 12 Apr. 1947

Laura Elizabeth Dicks and William T. Carroll reside at 2417 Mohican Road, Augusta, Georgia. They have no children.

Glover Foreman

This son of Jacob Foreman, I, and Rachel Foreman, though born in South Carolina in 1798, probably moved to Georgia around 1835 or shortly after, for he is found living in Glynn County, Georgia, at the time the 1850 U.S. Census was taken. This census showed his wife to be named Malinda, born 1804, South Carolina, and some of the Barnwell deeds indicate she may have been born Malinda Eubanks, but this has not been proven or thoroughly checked. In 1850, their children appear:

CHILDREN:

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| 1. John James Foreman | Born 1825 |
| 2. Mahala Foreman | Born 1832; Married 10 May 1849
James M. Myers |
| 3. Rachel Foreman | Born 1834; Married 3 Oct. 1856
William J. Burney |
| 4. Glover G. Foreman | Born 1837; Married Mary E. Lunday
Died at Clinch Co., Ga. |
| 5. Milledge G. Foreman | Born 1839 |
| 6. Adam E. Foreman | Born 1840; Married 17 May 1864
Eliza Ann Stafford |
| 7. Jacob K. Foreman | Born 1842 |
| 8. Abraham Foreman | Born 1844 |
| 9. Isaac Foreman | Born 1847 |

GRANDCHILDREN of GLOVER FOREMAN

Adam E. Foreman and Eliza Ann Stafford, the daughter of James Stafford and Elizabeth Burney, had at least the following children:

1. Addie Foreman who married Rod Goins
2. Dolly Foreman who married Lom Turner
3. James Foreman
4. Josie Foreman
5. Willie Foreman who married Craig
6. Asa Foreman

Abraham Foreman is written up in the book, "Savannah & South Georgia," Page 1064, by Harden. His wife, Josephine was the daughter of Delamar Peacock, a Georgian. Their children were:

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| 1. Cora Foreman | Born 1875; Married P. A. Adams |
| 2. James J. Foreman | Born 1876; Married 1912 Ethel Noseley |
| 3. Blanch Foreman | Married W. F. Harrison |
| 4. Floy Foreman | |
| 5. Delamar Foreman | Born July 1879 |

Abraham Foreman settled at McDonald (now Pavo) in Thomas County, Ga. His family is enumerated in the 1880 Thomas County, Georgia, U.S. Census.

No information is available on the other children of Glover Foreman as we have had no contact with any of his descendants, but trust that this information tying him into the Jacob Foreman family will be of use to some of his descendants at some future date.

NANCY FOREMAN HEARD

(Born 1788)

This is the only daughter mentioned in the will of Jacob Foreman I. Nancy Foreman married James Heard, born 1784 in South Carolina, whose will was probated 4 Mar. 1844 in Houston County, Georgia, but which had been made in Bibb County, Georgia. Though Nancy's death date is not known, she was living in 1843 when her husband made his will and she assisted in the administration of his estate. She has not been found in the 1850 census.

The children of Nancy Heard received one proportionable share of their Grandfather's estate in his Barnwell County will of 1823. The location of this property appears to have been the reason for their removal from South Carolina to Georgia. It appears they moved about 1833 together with others, at which time Jacob Foreman, Jr., was buying their Barnwell land.

In the year 1838, Benjamin Williams who had married the fourth child of Nancy Foreman Heard, namely, Nancy Gordon Heard, conveyed unto their father, James Heard, in behalf of Edney P. Heard, Joseph P. Heard and Andrew I. Heard, his wife's share of this Foreman property. In 1836 Jacob F. Heard also conveyed his share to these younger brothers and sisters. In 1835 Isaac F. Heard and Rachel Heard Hardin gave their share to the younger children. This property bequeathed to them by Jacob Foreman, I, consisted of Lot „95 in the 4th District of Houston County, Georgia, originally, but later Bibb County, one negro man known as Jacob, 45 years old, his wife Rose and a negro boy named Edmund, 15 years old, also a negro girl named Mariah 14 years old. In 1833 the estate was valued at \$2000, and James Heard, the father, was permitted to use the slaves in the support of the children. The land was later sold.

CHILDREN of NANCY FOREMAN HEARD:

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| 1. Rachel Heard | Born 1810; Married David Hardin |
| 2. Isaac F. Heard, | Born 1813; Died 7 Nov. 1859; Married 9 Apr. 1835
Frances Wilder, Born 1809 in Georgia. |
| 3. Jacob Foreman Heard | Born 13 Feb. 1815; Died 1 Feb. 1891;
Married 7 July 1839, Mary Elizabeth Busbee |
| 4. Nancy Gordon Heard | Born 1818; Died 10 May 1896; Married bet. 1833-37,
Benjamin Williams |
| 5. Joseph P. Heard | Born about 1820 |
| 6. Elvira O. Heard | Born about 1822; Died about Jan. 1849 |
| 7. Edney P. Heard | Born 1824; Married 25 Oct. 1842, William Cherry |
| 8. Andrew Jackson Heard | Born 1834 |

GRANDCHILDREN of NANCY FOREMAN HEARD:

Isaac F. Heard and Frances Wilder Heard moved to Worth County, Georgia, and were enumerated in the 1850 U.S. Census of that County with the following named children:

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| 1. James M. Heard | Born 1835 |
| 2. William G. Heard | Born 1837 |
| 3. Isaac F. Heard | Born 1839; Married 20 Dec. 1866, Caroline E. Wilder |
| 4. Frances M. Heard | Born 1841 |
| 5. Jonathan W. (or N.) | Born 1843; Married 6 July 1865 Sarah B. Burket |
| 6. Mary Ann (Polly) | Born 1846; Married 18 Dec. 1867, Jacob G. Braswell |
| 7. Georgia Ann Heard | Born 1848; Married 9 July 1868, John Braswell |

NANCY FOREMAN HEARD (continued)

June 4, 1860, petition was entered to have the administration of the estate of Isaac Heard moved to Bibb County, since he had died and the widow and all the children, minors, had returned to Bibb County. His estate was valued at \$480.00. However, the bond was set at \$10,000.00 before the administration could be changed to Bibb County from Worth County.

Jacob Foreman Heard and Mary Elizabeth Busbee (born 17 July 1822 in Bibb County, Ga., and who died 6 Aug. 1901, same place), are both buried at Sardis Cemetery in Macon, Georgia. Issue:

1. James M. Heard Born 13 July 1840; Died 17 Sept. 1917; Married 1st 27 Sept. 1860, Essey America Barfield; Married 2nd 4 Dec. 1887, Georgia M. Mosely
2. Bailey A. Heard Born 5 Oct. 1844; Married 11 Feb. 1864 to Mattie Oliphant; Died 17 July 1925; buried Sardis Cem. His children were: Inos A.; Perry G.; Elizabeth who md. Gray; Irene who md. Wilson Bryant; Will. Married 2nd, Catherine Rebecca
Born 3 Oct. 1849, Died 30 Apr. 1931; buried Sardis Cem. Issue by her: Joseph P.; Nora who md. Rushing; Emma who md. Feagan.
3. Joseph P. Heard Born 1847; Died prior to 1933
4. Moses A. Heard Born 1849; Married 17 Nov. 1870, Mary Sanders
5. Emeline Heard Born 1851
6. Martha F. Heard Born 1852
7. Rachel G. Heard Born 1854
8. Charity Ellen Heard Born 1856; Married 29 Aug. 1871, James F. Moring
dec. prior to 1933
9. Dr. John Hardeman Heard, Born 15 Oct. 1855; Died 2 Nov. 1933; Married 1 April 1888 Francis Whiteside, Born 10 May 1866; Died 3 Feb. 1943, who was probably the daughter of James A. Whiteside and Sacca A. Barfield. They had no issue and Dr. Heard made bequests to all his living sisters and brothers and to the children of the deceased children. Both the will of Dr. Heard and Mrs. Heard are on record in Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.
10. Jacob Foreman Heard, Jr. Born 1858; Died 14 Sept. 1917; buried Rose Hill Cemetery, Bibb County, Ga. He Married Juliette Estelle Findley on 20 Feb. 1889. His will is on file in Will Book G, Page 100, Bibb Co., Ga.
11. Walter Jake Heard Born 15 Nov. 1860; Died intestate Dec. 22, 1925.
(Note: One of the above daughters married one R. E. Grace)

Nancy Gordon Heard and Benjamin Williams (born about 1815 in South Carolina; his parentage is not known, but his grandson has offered in 1958 a reward of \$100 for proof of his parentage. There is a little doubt that he was reared in Barnwell District, S.C.) By 7 May 1838, Nancy and Benjamin were in Houston County, Georgia, where they remained at least until 17 Feb. 1854, according to the public records and U.S. Census of Bibb and Houston Counties. They were migrating people and have not been found in later census reports. It is known that they moved downward to the Georgia-Florida border where Benjamin Williams received a grant of land 20 May 1882 for a homestead in the section known as fractional land, land disputed between the two states which ultimately became Florida land. From there Benjamin and Nancy took their family to McAlpine in Suwannee County, Florida. Though the family meets annually in a reunion, the two oldest children have been lost to posterity.

NANCY FOREMAN HEARD (continued)

The children of Nancy and Benjamin Williams are as follows:

1. James Williams Born 1838
2. Henry Williams Born 1840
3. Permelia Williams Born 1842
4. William Paul Williams Born 26 Dec. 1844; Died 21 July 1920; Married Lucretia Ann Kelly. Issue: Jackson Anders; Florida Ann, Married J. Philip Jones; Charles Benjamin Married Melissa Coon; Newton Joseph Married Barbara Parrish; James Washington Married Emma Dabberg; Rosmous W. (infant); Nancy Ellen (infant); Perry (infant); Grover (infant); Willie L. Married Thomas D. Tucker; William P. (infant).
5. Joseph A. Williams Born 1846; Died 18 Aug. 1833; Married Sallie Hurst; Issue: Alloce Md. F. H. McCullough; Camilla Md. J. D. Edwards.
6. Isaac Fulton Williams Born 5 June 1849; Died 13 Nov. 1925, leaving a lengthy 4-page will remembering each of his children. Married 24 Jan. 1873, Annie Eliza Jolly Born 10 May 1851; Died 27 Jan. 1892. Issue: Beulah Effie Md. James Martin McMillan; John Jackson Md. Bertha May Daugherty; William Benjamin Md. Lula Parnell; Isaac Fulton Jr. Md. 1, Mattie Thompson, 2nd, Julia May Darley; Mary Evalina who Md. David Man Fudge, then George Thomas Fudge; Louisiana who Md. William Henry Stephenson; Indiana who Md. William E. Parnell; Henry Harrison (infant); Kenneth Washington; Raymond; Amond (infant). Isaac Fulton Williams Married 6 Oct. 1892 Jessie Caldon Shelfer, Born 21 Oct. 1873 and Died 23 Dec. 1946; Issue: George Ira Md. Sallie Green Walker; Florence Gordon Md. Guy Brinson; Chester Arthur; Margaret Jane; Solomon (infant); Charles Groover Md. Marion Willink; Fred Malone Md. Sadie Marie Waldron; Irene Cordelia Md. Andrew McLeod; Milton Page Md. Donna Elkin; J. D. Williams; Alene Gertrude; Loysell Md. Jasper Curtis Johnson.
7. John Franklin Williams Born 8 Aug. 1851; Died 10 Jan. 1932; Married 25 Nov. 1826 Julia Emma Bembry, also Laura Mills; by 1st wife: Tremmie Jane who md. Charles Henry Walker; Mary Etta Md. Thomas Solomon Brannan; Sallie Idealla Md. Charlie D. Sapp; Laura Ozella Md. Wm. Arthur Walker; Nora Eveline; Ida Bertia (infant); Charles Oscar (infant).
8. Rachel Williams Born 2 July 1855; Married Dan F. Jenkins
9. Lebon Williams Born 10 Mar. 1857; Died 7 Jan. 1906; Married Bond
10. Emma Elnora Williams Born 7 Jan. 1859; Died 15 Nov. 1954; Married 3 July 1873 Thomas Jefferson Kelly, Issue: Zolphame (child); Mary Ellen Md. Henry Simmons; Rebecca Jane Md. Homer Maximer Chastain; Delilah Gordan Kelly Md. James McQueen Carlton; Melum Harrison; Joseph Thomas; John A.; Rosella Md. Eugene O. Smart; Henrietta or Onededa Md. Wayne E. Morris; Vera Kelly.
11. Jane Ophelia Williams Born 10 Dec. 1860; Died 17 Nov. 1916; Md. Solomon Sulivant; Issue: Joseph Solomon Md. Alma Walston; Nellie; William Lafayette Sullivant.

Edney P. Heard and William Cherry, (Born 1804 in N.C.), by the 1850 Houston County, U.S. census, page 54, had the following children:

1. Wiley Cherry Born 1846
2. James Cherry Born 1848
3. Cornelia Cherry Born 1850

(The information on Nancy Foreman Heard and her descendants, prepared and submitted by George Ira Williams, 3200 Tivoli St., Jacksonville, Florida)

A Parting Word

It is with a feeling of sadness that I now close my labors on The Foreman Genealogy. The work is not perfect or complete. No human production is or can be. Still, I hope that I have accomplished that which will help to perpetuate the memory of some of the events in the lives of the early ancestors, events that should not be forgotten or discarded by those for whom it was written - the descendants of Jacob Foreman, II, whether at home or abroad.

Now, may I urge you to use the blank pages which follow to record additional births, deaths, marriages and/or corrections to the foregoing for the benefit of your own posterity.

My own face is now turned toward the setting sun and this may well be the last work, historical or otherwise, which you may see from my pen. If it should thus be, let us with love greet each other with hail and farewell!

James Aldrich Foreman
Jackson, South Carolina

May 17, 1958

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